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	First Inventor	Richard F. Gladney
	Title	PLASTIC MATTRESS FOUNDATION
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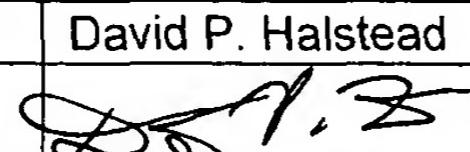
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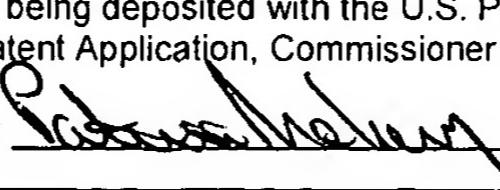
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1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month
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1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal
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1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable
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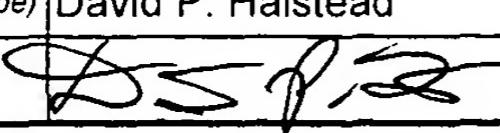
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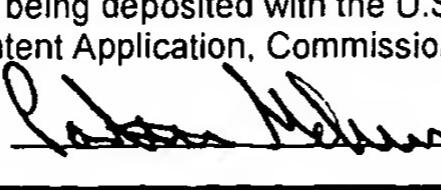
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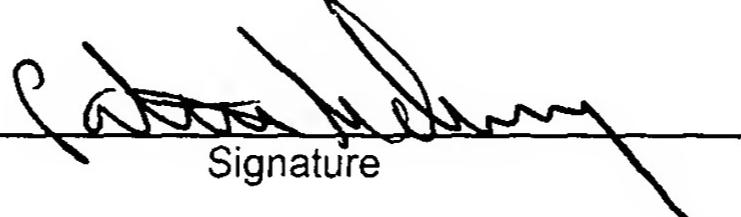
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